

Amendments to the Abstract

Please **amend** the Abstract to read.

-- The circuit arrangement for degaussing a picture tube comprises a degaussing coil-(ES), a single PTC element (~~T~~) and a switch-(~~R~~), the degaussing coil (~~ES~~), the single PTC element (~~T~~) and the switch-(~~R~~) being connected in series For a degaussing, the degaussing coil-(~~ES~~) is activated by means of the switch (~~R~~) for a defined time interval for example such that the switch-off takes place at an ampere-turns product of greater than 5.--